

The candidates for Congress in this District, spoke at Fredericksburg, on Tuesday night, and at King George Court House, on Thursday. In both discussions, Mr. Thomas acquitted himself to the entire satisfaction of his friends, and many opposed to him politically, expressed their determination to support him at the polls. The finest spirit prevails among the friends of Mr. T., who are actively exerting themselves in his behalf. A friend who was present at the discussions says that he "has never seen a better feeling or more spirit manifested on the part of the Whigs, since the campaigns of '40 and '44. He was assured in Spotsylvania and King George, that Mr. Thomas would get the entire Whig vote, and at the conclusion of his speech at King George C. H., several Democrats came forward and promised Mr. T. that they would give him their hearty support." Wherever Mr. T. speaks, he never fails to make a decided impression.

**Whig Convention in Fauquier.**  
The Whigs of Fauquier assembled in the Court House, on Monday, the 28th of March, and were organized by calling J. K. Marshall, esq., to the Chair, and appointing Dr. Thos. H. Fisher and Wm. Wall, Secretaries. The nomination of T. Ashby, esq., was then ratified unanimously by the Whigs of the whole county, and on motion of Col. Serjeant, Enos Hord was, without dispute, selected as his associate from the lower end. The nomination of Mr. Hord was likewise made without dissent, and the nominees having accepted, the Convention adjourned in the very highest spirit. A motion was passed that the proceedings be published in the Warrenton Whig, Alexandria Gazette and Richmond Whig.

**JAS. K. MARSHALL, Presd't.**  
**THOS. H. FISHER, Sec'y.**  
**WM. WALL, Sec'y.**

The Sickles case was continued in the Criminal Court of Washington, yesterday—Further evidence was adduced in reference to the shooting.

**MARRIED.**

In Washington, on Tuesday, the 5th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Pyne, the Hon. GEORGE RUSTIN, of Louisiana, to Miss LOUISA MORRIS CORCORAN, only daughter of Wm. W. Corcoran, esq., of Washington, D. C.

On the 6th instant, by the Rev. Andrew G. Carothers, Mr. THOMAS J. FLAHERTY, to Miss ANN HELEN CHILDRESS, both of Washington.

On the 6th instant, by the Rev. Andrew G. Carothers, Mr. EDWARD S. LOGAN, to Miss MARGARET C. SPOTTS, both of Washington.

On the 5th instant, by the Rev. Mr. H. Spilman, CHARLES H. CUTHBERT, of Fauquier, to Miss MILDRED HALL, of Fauquier.

In Trinity Church, Washington, D. C., on Wednesday evening, the 6th instant, by the Rev. R. T. Brown, Pastor of Zion Church, Fairfax County, Virginia, Mr. BLAISE T. DULANE, late of Fauquier county, to Miss JANE M. LOVE, daughter of Mr. R. Love, esq., of Fairfax County.

At Poplar Hill Church, in St. Mary's county, Md., on the 6th instant, by Rev. R. H. B. Mitchell, the bride's father, Miss ELIZABETH A. MITCHELL, of that county, to Mr. H. H. ROBERTSON, of Baltimore city.

On the 24th ult., in St. Mary's county, Md., by the Rev. R. H. B. Mitchell, Mr. CHARLES N. UNRICH, of Westernland county, Virginia, to Miss ELIZABETH JANE ENGLISH, of the same county.

**DIED.**

At West End, Fairfax County, Virginia, on Thursday, the 7th of April, Mr. WILLIAM H. JENKINS, in the 45th year of his age. The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

In Washington, on Thursday, WILLIAM H. WINTER, in the 47th year of his age.

At Chippewa, in Fauquier county, on Monday, April 5th, 1859, CLIFTON, infant son of Wm. E. and Lucy B. CLIFTON, aged about seven months.

In Port Tobacco, on Monday night last, Mr. JAMES ADAMS, who was esteemed through life for his industry, honesty and moral deportment—He was aged about 65 years.

**ARRIVED.**

Schrs. A. V. Bedell, Ryder, New York, to J. C. Nevett.

Schrs. A. Middleton, Sipple, Providence, to T. J. McAdams.

Schrs. Wm. A. Crocker, Endicott, New York, to Boston Mining Co.

Schrs. Maria Elizabeth, Baker, ———, to Order.

Schrs. John P. Hilton, Dent, Aquia, wheat to C. F. Suttle & Co.

Schrs. Ann McCarty, Hutton, Plantersville, corn to Washington & Co.

Steamer Diamond State, Keweenaw, Baltimore, to Wheat & Bro.

**MEMORANDA.**

Schrs. Rescue, Bacon, from Georgetown, arrived at New York 6th.

Schrs. S. B. Bailey, Hopkins, for this port, sailed from Providence 5th inst.

Schrs. Buelah, Hanson, and Ann S. Brown, Brown, from this port, arrived at Dighton 5th inst.

Schrs. Daniel Brown, Heid, from this port, arrived at Fall River 4th inst.

Schrs. West Gleam, More, from this port for Boston, arrived at Holmes 4th inst.

Schrs. L. B. & F. L. Pharo, from Dighton for this port, and Revere, from Boston, from Boston, in Dutch Island Harbor 4th inst.

**CANAL COMMERCE.**

Boats Martin Hoffman, Charles Embury, Union, Yankee, and Wm. R. King, coal, to T. J. McAdams.

Boat Captain, Emily Francis, and Metacomb, coal to Boston Mining Co.

Boat S. Brothers, Kingston, to Thos. Smith.

Boat Bloodgood, Quigley, Harper's Ferry, to Washington & Co.

Boat Chipper, groceries for Cumberland, Md., to Gray, Miller & Co.

Boat C. S. More, groceries, Acy, from J. R. McVeigh & Son, boats, shoes, Acy, from Harper & Baldwin, and quinquina from R. H. Miller, Son & Co., for Chesapeake, Md.

Boat Messrs. Smith, Shackelford and Thomas, will address the citizens of Culpeper County, at the Court House, on Monday, the 18th instant, and of Fauquier, on Monday, the 25th instant, the Court days for those counties.

**FOR BALTIMORE.**—The steamer DIAMOND STATE will receive cargo for Baltimore, on Saturday, the 3rd inst. leaving at 2 o'clock, P. M.

**FOR PHILADELPHIA.**—The regular steamer Schrs. ANN PICKEREL, Leverton, leaving will sail on Monday, for freight, apply to the Captain on board, at Long Wharf, or to S. SHINN, 61, Union street.

**FOR RICHMOND.**—The steamer Ocean, Captain Aaron, will sail on Saturday, for Richmond, for freight, apply to the Captain on board, at Long Wharf, or to S. SHINN, 61, Union street.

**VESSLS WANTED.**—To load Coal to Philadelphia, New York, Providence, Boston, and other ports, to the North and East. Also freight for small vessels to the Bay. Apply to D. B. SMITH, Queen street Wharf.

**EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK.**—For sale at lowest rate, by

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## COMMERCIAL.

## Monetary.

Here, as in all the Eastern cities, at present, the money market is very easy. Our banks are in a condition to accommodate all the legitimate wants of trade, and we hear of very little paper offering on the street, where rates are still tending downward.

The stock market is very quiet, transactions being only to a limited extent, and quotations unchanged. The Baltimore papers notice no material change in financial circles. The talk of a higher rate for money has passed off, and the market left quite easy at about former rates. There is nothing at present to cause the slightest apprehension of stringency in monetary circles, and although some loans have been changed or called in, it has only left a vacuum to be filled by the idle capital that has been seeking investment for some time past.

New York, April 6.—Speculative stocks were heavy to-day. In United States five 3/4 cents, new issue 1874's, \$50,000 were sold yesterday at 104 1/2, and the same amount of 1865's at 102 1/2.

This morning the only sale at the board was a single \$1,000 7 1/4's at 104 1/2. Virginia, Tennessee, and North Carolina again in request at full rates. Missouri sale of 46 1/2—sales of \$67,000 cash at \$72, and \$10,000, seller fifteen days, at \$78. All the leading railroad mortgages were firm.

In money matters there is but little variation. The rates are from five to six 1/2 cent, according to length of time to run.

The steamer Alps will take out to-morrow \$200,000 in gold bars. The Niagara takes out no specie.

**PRICES OF PRODUCE IN ALEXANDRIA.**  
FROM CARRS, VESSELS, AND WAGONS. (YESTERDAY.)

|  |          |          |
|--|----------|----------|
| FLOUR, Super...                        | \$6 25   | do 80 00 |
| do Extra...                            | 6 75     | do 70 00 |
| do Family...                           | 7 25     | do 80 00 |
| Wheat, No. 1...                        | 1 00     | do 1 25  |
| do No. 2...                            | 1 00     | do 1 15  |
| do No. 3...                            | 0 82     | do 0 85  |
| do Mixed...                            | 0 78     | do 0 82  |
| do Yellow...                           | 0 80     | do 0 85  |
| do Oats...                             | 0 48     | do 0 50  |
| do Rye...                              | 0 88     | do 0 90  |
| do Clover Seed, (retail)...            | 6 75     | do 7 00  |
| do Timothy Seed...                     | 1 00     | do 1 25  |
| do Flax Seed...                        | 1 25     | do 1 40  |
| do Hemp...                             | 1 25     | do 1 40  |
| do Plaster, Lump, retail, delivered... | 4 12     | do 4 25  |
| do On Car...                           | 7 00     | do 6 00  |
| do Ground do...                        | 5 00     | do 6 00  |
| do Salt, Fine...                       | 1 50     | do 1 75  |
| do do Ground Alum...                   | 1 05     | do 1 10  |
| do Butter, Roll, 1/2 lb...             | 0 22     | do 0 26  |
| do do 1 lb...                          | 0 12     | do 0 18  |
| do Pork...                             | 0 09 1/2 | do 0 10  |
| do Bacon...                            | 8 00     | do 8 25  |
| do Lard, in Kegs...                    | 0 11 1/2 | do 0 12  |
| do White Beans...                      | 1 25     | do 0 00  |
| do Black Eye Peas...                   | 1 00     | do 0 00  |
| do Hay, 100 lbs...                     | 0 62 1/2 | do 0 75  |

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**Baltimore Cattle Market, April 7th.**

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**ACQUITTAL OF MR. GREENE.**—WARRENTON, Friday morning, April 8.—The trial of Jas. Green, for the killing of Carver, at the Fauquier Springs, last September, has just been concluded. After the evidence was given in, the jury announced from their box that they were agreed upon the verdict they should render, and did not wish an argument. A more intelligent and substantial jury never sat in this county—and the prompt acquittal of the accused by such a jury is a very gratifying fact to his large connections. Thus has ended this unfortunate affair, that has excited our community for months past. The scene in court when the verdict was announced was quite affecting. The accused received it with deep emotion, as his numerous friends gathered around him and testified their sympathy. May this sad affair be of salutary effect upon his future life.

**SPECTATOR.**

**DEATH OF COL. H. B. POWELL.**—It is with extreme sorrow that we are called upon to announce the death of this most estimable man. To all who knew Col. Powell, no word is necessary to recall his many noble traits of character. He was the true pattern of the Old Virginia gentleman; kind, hospitable, and endowed with fine talents, he lived beloved by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, and his death will be mourned not only by a numerous and affectionate family, but also by many warm and devoted friends throughout the State. To his associates in the House of Delegates, the intelligence of his death will be received with much sorrow. Always kind, dignified and affable, he discharged his duty without asperity, won the confidence and respect of the House. A firm and uncompromising Whig as he was, we take pleasure in bearing our testimony to that true nobility of soul that always characterizes the gentleman. The State has lost a most kind and estimable member.—*Rich. Eng.*

**WHEAT CROP.**—The wheat crop along the road from Harrisonburg to Washington, looks remarkably well, and from present appearances there will be an abundant crop. We hear also from gentlemen from the Western States and Pennsylvania, that the wheat crop in those States all looks well.—*Valley Dem.*

**YORK RIVER RAILROAD.**—The work of track-laying is progressing rapidly, and by the 1st of May some ten or twelve miles will be completed. A locomotive has just been placed on the road, to facilitate the transportation of rails and rails.—*Richmond Whig.*

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